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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 882

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SUBJECT: EMBASSY NEW CONSTRUCTION

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1. SOVIETS NOW IN PROCESS DEMOLISHING NORTH SCHOOL BUILDING ON SITE NEW EMBASSY COMPLEX AND REMOVING MATERIAL WHICH WAS STORED FROM SECOND SCHOOL BUILDING THIS SITE. DEMOLITION SECOND BUILDING COULD COMMENCE AS EARLY AS FIRST PART NEXT WEEK.
 2. EMBASSY BADLY NEEDS STORAGE SPACE AND COULD USE THIS BUILDING IF SOVIETS WOULD AGREE TURN IT OVER TO EMBASSY UNTIL WE PREPARED COMMENCE CONSTRUCTION. HENCE FROM OPERATIONAL STANDPOINT, EMBASSY WOULD LIKE TO REQUEST SOVIETS DEFER DEMOLITION FOR TIME BEING OF SECOND BUILDING NOW BEING VACATED AS WAREHOUSE AND TURN IT OVER TO EMBASSY FOR USE AS WAREHOUSE. (UPDK WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY ASSESS USUAL CHARGE FOR WAREHOUSE SPACE, BUT THIS WOULD NEVERTHELESS BE MOST WORTHWHILE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS.)
 3. EMBASSY APPRECIATES DELICATE STAGE OF NEGOTIATIONS ON NEW BUILDINGS. HOWEVER, IF DEPARTMENT BELIEVES REQUESTING TEMPORARY USE AS WAREHOUSE REMAINING BUILDING NEW EMBASSY SITE WOULD NOT ADVERSELY AFFECT U.S. POSITION, WOULD APPRECIATE EARLY AUTHORIZATION TO APPROACH UPDK REQUESTING TEMPORARY DEFERRAL
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DEMOLITION BUILDING AND PERMISSION TO USE AS EMBASSY WAREHOUSE.

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